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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Patent Application of)
Se-Jin LEE)
Appln. No. 08/966,233) Group Art Unit: 1631
Filed: November 7, 1997) Examiner: M. P. Allen
FOR: GDF-1 GENE)
Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF
PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Final Office Action mailed October 21, 2002, finally rejecting claims 3, 11-15, 22 and 24-42.

The sections checked below are appropriate:

1. [] Applicants previously respectfully requested a _____- month extension of time from the response due date of _____. The extension of time fee of _____ was paid _____.
2. [X] The Appeal fee of \$320.00 as set forth by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).
3. [X] Deduct from Deposit Account No. 50-0310 the total amount of **\$320.00**.

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